

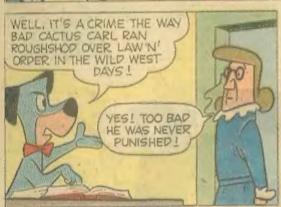


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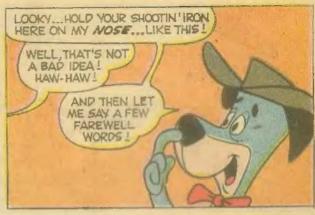








































































































































































































One bright sunny morning Biddy Buddy sat motionless on the bank of his pond and gazed at his reflection in the water. "Wak!" He addressed his image. "I know you. You're me."

As he was cocking his head to see if he could trick his image into moving the wrong way, another face loomed up beside his.

"Wak, and double wak!" squawked the duckling. "I know you. You're a fox."

Before the fox could move, Biddy Buddy dove into the water and swam to the bottom.

The fox quickly recovered from his surprise and plunged into the water, too,

"Hey, Biddy Buddy, old pal," he called, "why are you skedcodling? Don't think that just because we foxes have been known to have an occasional duck for dinner that I'd hunt an itty bitty fellow l.ke you. Heh, heh, heh! I just want to play."

Under the water, Biddy Buddy heard the sly fox's doubtful story. "He's not fooling me one teensy weensy bit," he thought to himself. "I'll just swim over to that bunch of lily pads and hide until he goes away."

The fox searched for Biddy Buddy, swimming this way and that. Finally he scrambled up on shore once again.

He paced back and forth along the bank of the pond, his keen eyes searching the half-exposed sunken logs and other likelylooking hiding places in the water.

Suddenly he stopped, a scheming gleam shining in his eyes. Looking up at the sky, he called loudly, "Oh, my! Here comes a flock of big ducks. I'd better get out of here before they swoop down and start pecking at me to drive me away."

From his hiding place among the lily pads, Biddy Buddy couldn't resist raising up a bit in order to look up at the sky, too.

Catching the slight movement with his sharp eyes, the fox immediately leaped into the middle of the lily pads and snatched Biddy Buddy up in his mouth.

"Put me down, you big bully!" Biddy Buddy stormed, angered at being tricked so easily. "Let me go this instant."

"Mm-oh. mm-no," the tox mumbled from between clenched teeth as he swam for shore.

"If you don't put me down, I'll peck you good and hard," Biddy Buddy vowed stoutly.

"Um-um-um!" the fox giggled, trotting through the woods. "Mm-you mm-can't mm-reach mm-me!"

"Look," Biddy Buddy said suddenly changing his factics, "I know where a tiny duck plays under a bush by my pond."

"Hmm." the fox thought, "why mess around with only one duck, when I can get two?"

The fox urged Biddy to show him where the bush was located, end Biddy directed him to his pond and pointed out a particularly thick bramble bush.

"If you'll put me down," Biddy whispered,
"I'll sneak under the bush and see if he's
there. I promise you I won't go any farther
than two feet away."

"Well, okay," the fox said as he released Biddy, "but remember, I'm faster than you, so you can't get away."

Biddy nodded and then walked calmly under the bush. "I'm two feet away from you now," he called, "and guess what? The duck who plays under here sometimes is me, and the bush is too thick for you to get into to reach me. "An area of They ought to change that old expression, 'as cunning as a fox,' to 'as cunning as a duck'."



































































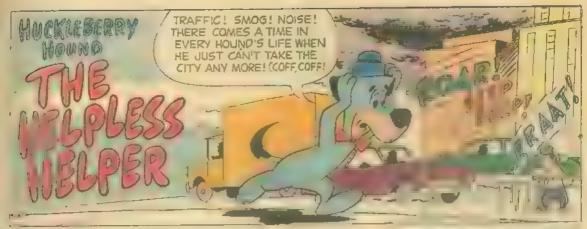
























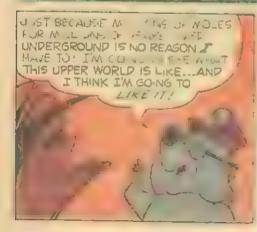


















































MY HAWK ACT SURE WORKED, BUT I CAN'T)
FIGURE OUT HOW HE STARTED DIGGING
BEFORE I EVEN GOT TO HIM! BOY!
AM I AN UNRECOGNIZABLE TYPE VESS!

WELL!
WELL!

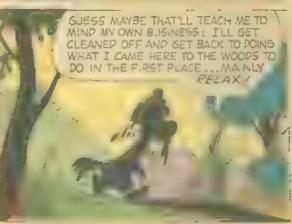
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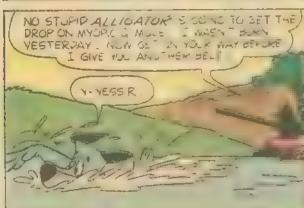
















































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